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# WHAT'S INTERESTING TO DO AT THE KENTUCKY HISTORICAL SOCIETY IN MAY?

Learn more about Kentucky's names,
experience the results of Frankfort's recent archeological dig
and take a moment to experience the penmanship of
political cartoonist, Hugh Haynie.

Saturdays in May at 1 and 3:30 p.m.

"NEEDMORE NONESUCH? WHYNOT! (BUT I CAN'T PLACE THAT NAME)

This fun-filled, fact-full presentation about Kentucky's colorful place names is a collaboration between the KHS Museum Theatre Program and the Frankfort High School Drama Department. Performed in Commonwealth Hall at the Kentucky History Center, 100 W. Broadway, Frankfort.

On display through July 31, 2004

"Buried in the Past: The Rediscovery of the Old Frankfort Cemetery"

During the construction of the new Kentucky Transportation Cabinet office building in 2002, workers stumbled on the remains of the Old Frankfort Cemetery, which had been lost for over 150 years. Archaeologists investigated the site and excavated the remaining burial ground. This display takes a look at the history of the Old Frankfort Cemetery, how it was lost and what was learned when the graveyard was rediscovered. On view in Commonwealth Hall at the Kentucky History Center, 100 West Broadway, Frankfort.

## On Display through May 30, 2004

### The Editorial Cartoons of Hugh Haynie

This panel-board exhibit is the latest addition to the Society's Museums-to-Go program. This is an abbreviated version of the Society's recent temporary exhibit that shared the drawings of the Louisville Courier-Journal political cartoonist's career. On view in Commonwealth Hall, Kentucky History Center, 100 W. Broadway, Frankfort.

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The Kentucky Historical Society, since 1836, has provided *connections to the past, perspective on the present and inspiration for the future.* KHS operates the Old State Capitol, Kentucky Military History Museum and its five-year-old headquarters, the Kentucky History Center. Since 1999, the \$30 million History Center has welcomed almost **one million visitors.** For more information about the Kentucky Historical Society and its programs, visit the Web at <a href="http://history.ky.gov">http://history.ky.gov</a> or call (502) 564-1792.